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THE EARLY HOURS

It is still true that the early bird gets the worm, as far as work and accomplishing it is concerned. For some reason or other — as every business man knows — interuptions can kill much time during the normal working hours.

More than one successful executive knows that in the early morning hours, or even in the evening hours, one can work more or less undisturbed. The morning hours are even better than the evening hours, since the mind is clearer and both the body and mind fresh. At night one sometimes must fight fatigue.

The farmer who rises at four o'clock in the morning knows that much can be done between then and eight or nine o'clock. Unfortunately, that hired man or woman who must work steady hours cannot test this theory.

Finally, some of the prettiest sights ever to be seen will be viewed at sunrise — in case you have forgotten. The earth is still and beautiful and it is a wondtrful time for spiritual thought and contemplation, which few of us have enough time for in our rush for the dollar in this twentieth century.

SEDATIVE TRAGEDY

Approximately five hundred and fifty British doctors at a conference gave unanimous backing for the formation of a watch dog force of scientists to examine and test new drugs before they appear on the market. The conference resulted after the British people were stunned by a tragedy which struck many British homes.

Sometimes prior to 1960, a new drug was developed by the Germans which was sold in European countries, including Great Britain. The drug was a sedative for mothers-to-be in early pregnancy. since the introduction of the sedative on the market, most doctors and scientists feel that it is the blame for about one thousand deformed babies.

Although the sedative is now banned from the doctor's prescription lists and appropriate action has been taken, estimates are that some two hundred more deformed babies will be born as a result of the earlier use of the drug. After the mothers had used the sedative in early pregnancy, some of the babies born had no arms or legs, and some had no limbs at all. The whole affair was a tremendous tradegy in the British nation.

In this country, we have governmental regulations concerning new drugs, and our drug manfacturers have shown a sense of responsibility in this direction.

SOLDIERS AND PUBLICITY

There is an old tradition among the military, that too much individual publicity and glamor buildup, is not good for moral or combat effectiveness. The newspaper and television newshawks have succeeded in breaking through this obstacle in the United States. The armed services are allowing it.

Out at Edwards Air Force Base we have been getting a heavy dose of publicity about the X-15 for a long, long time. Recently, it seemed as if an outright publicity show was staged when pilot Bob White was pictured greeting his son on his return from the newest record flight in the X-15.

Joe Walker and Bob White have been setting new altitude records in the X-15 for years now. They are doing a commandable job; they are doing a job of great value to their country and rendering the highest form of public service.

Like the astronauts, they do not wish to be publicized heroes. That is not why they joined the armed service. The newsmen and photographers who "stage" all these pictures and who play up certain events plan them all out carefully ahead of time and often favor this thing over that or this person over that. This is only human.

All of them are doing the same job — serving their country. All of them deserve the gratitude of the country. None wishes to become a movie - star idol, as a result of the ways and gimmicks of the newshound, the eagerbeaver reporter.

VIRGINIA SELECTS SPLIT DOVE SEASON

A split dove season totalling seventy half days was selected by the Virginia Gme Commission at a public meeting in Richmond July 20. The first period will begin at noon, September 15 and continue through November3. The second period will be December 17 through January 5. Dove shooting is permitted from 12 o'clock noon until sunset each day. Bag limits were set at 12 daily and 24 in possession. The split season was chosen to give hunters a chance at migrting birds which pass through Virginia in late December.

Rail and gallinule season was set to open September 13 and close November 23, a period which coincides with the most favorable tides for this type of hunting. Bag limits will be 15 clapper rails and gallinules a day, 30 in possession and 25 sora rails daily or in possession.

Snipe and Woodcock seasons are set to open November 19 when the regular small game season will be open and hunters will be in the field. Snipe season will continue through December 18 and Woodcock will end December 28. Bag limits on Snipe will be 8 daily, and 8 in possession. Woodcock hunters will be allowed four per day and eight in possession. Shooting hours on rails, gallinules, snipe, and woodcock are sunrise until sunset.

All seasons and bag limits set by the Commission were the maximum allowed by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Each year this Federal Agency establishes maximum bag limits, season length and outsides dates for migratory species. Each state is allowed to select seasons and bag limits which do not exceed this framework.

TURKEY TALK

You've heard the expression "Talk Turkey." But few people know that turkeys really talk.

Specialists at the Agricultural Extension Service at Virginia Polytechnic Instituee say turkeys have different calls that you can learn to recognize.

Some turkey calls and sounds express content, other discountent, and some fright. For example, if brooder house temperaeures are uncomfortable, especiallly too cold, poults will do much loud calling. Nutritional disturbances may also cause poults and chicks to express discontent.

If nutritional troubles become too severe, the birds become too listless to complain with their voices. Poults respond rather quickly to diet deficiences, and can recuperate in a short time when the nutrition is corrected.

Turkeys will often call in distinct tones if they are out of feed and water. So the next time you hear a turkey sounding off, better try to get the message.

STINGS CAN BE DANGEROUS

Venom from honeybees, bumblebees, wasps, yellow jackets and hornets is drop for drop just as potent for certain susceptible persons as deadly rattlesnake venom, says Dr. Mack I. Shoultz, State Health Commissioner. Authorities believe that stings by these insects kill more people in the United States than the feared rattler. One Prominent specialist suggests that some of the sudden deaths attributed to heart failure or heart prostration are in reality due to insect stings of susceptible individuals.

Violent reactions to stings most often occur in those who have some allergic tendency. A severe reaction is even more likely if their systems have been sensitized to insect venom by a previous sting, just as some person become sensitive to penicillin.

Children are particulary vulnerable because of their outdoor summer-time play, their natural curiosity and abbreviated dress during warm weather. They should be taught to steer clear of stinging insects and not chase after them or try to catch them. Bees are more likely to sting on bright, warm days when their business of gathering nectar is interrupted. When a heavy rain has washed the nector from the flowers they are frustrated, angry and in a stinging mood.

Gaily colored or dark, rough clothing attracts them, but they tend to avoid white clothing with a hard finish. As might be expected, they are attracted by perfumes and scented cosmetics.

When the worker honeybee stings it leave its stinger and venom sac in the victim's skin. Even though separated from bee, the stinger keeps working in deeper for about 20 minutes, while injecting more venom. Remove the stinger and sac as quickly as possible. Cold packs will slow down absorption of the poison and help ease the sting.

Anyone who has had more than the usual unplesant local reaction to a sting should ask a doctor about the advisability of preventive treatment that may protect against the possibility of a later more severe reaction.

Stonewall

Stonewall, July 30, We really had a nice rain over the week end

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carson have another little granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. E. O.Showalters in Lynchburg General Hospital last Monday July 23. We congratulate the happy parents and grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mathews III of Orange spent the week end with her father Mr. J. O. Davidson

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carson of Roanoke spent the weekend with Mrs. Agnes Carson and Miss Shirley Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Dyess and children are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings and family in Winsor N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler and children of Richmond are spending this week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and Lawrence and Mr. C. D. Drinkard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Chick.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hedgepath and Miss Louise Leitner of Richmond spent the week end with their parents Rev. and Mrs. John P. Leitner.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Burnette of West Virginia spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Burnette. They all spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Burnette in Lynchburg.

The Stratton reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stratton on Sunday. We wish them many more happy reunions together.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Russell and children of Richmond spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tanner and Kathy spent their vacation in the Smoky Mountains last week.

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DRIVE-IN THEATRE
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• Friday and Saturday [illegible] THE MAGNIFICENT [illegible]
• Sunday and Monday, [illegible] Frank Sinatra - Dean [illegible] SERGEANTS THREE
• Tues., Wed., Thurs., [illegible] Burt Lancaster in THE YOUNG SAVAGES

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SHORTS & BERMUDAS	.66	INFANTS BLANKETS	1.4[illegible]
		INFANTS SPORTSWEAR	.6[illegible]

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County Agents Notes

[illegible] time for farmers to get ready for late summer seedings of alfalfa and pasture, says J. A. Smith, county agent. The time to [illegible] alfalfa in the northern Piedmont and western Virginia is after [illegible] good rain in August to [illegible] 1.

Appomattox county alfalfa seeding time is Aug. 1-Sept. 15.

Seed alfalfa on a deep, well-drained soil, says Smith. Test the soil for lime. The use of liberal amounts of lime essential for good alfalfa production in Virginia. Alfalfa grows best and maintains stands longer at a pH of 6.5 to 7.

The use of the right analysis and rate of fertilizer when seeding is important. On fertile soils with medium or higher level of potash, use 500 to 700 pounds per acre of borated 0-30-15 or the equivalent.

On fertile soils with a medium or higher phosphate level and a low level of potash, use 800 to 1,000 pounds per acre of borated 0-14-14 or equivalent. On light textured soils or soils with low fertility level, use 1,00 to 1,200 pounds per acre of borated 2-12-.

Says County Agent. "If yo plan to use fertilizer-heptachlor mixture to control the alfalfa weevil on new fall seedings, apply one-half to two-thirds of the recommended rates of fertilizer before seeding, and topdress with the remainder containing the hetachlor mixture." The current revision of MS 105, "Control the Alfalfa Weevil", is available from County Agent.

Prepare a good seedbed. The ideal alfalfa seedbed is firm and compact so it provides plenty of moisture for young seedlings. It has enough firm, granular soil to cover the seed. Plowing, disking, and rolling the soil is generally preferred. The soil should be plowed and disked 30 to 60 days before seeding. Just before seeding, disk and roll with a cultipacker, or use a heavy drag to firm the seedbed.

Seed an adapted variety. Use certified seed of Williamsburg, Atlantic, Narragansett, Buffalo, or DuPuits (Piedmont and western Virginia). Don't forget to inoculate the alfalfa seed! Use a commercial alfalfa culture according to directions. Plant as soon as possible after inoculation and keep in a shady place between time of inoculation and planting. Seed held over 24 hours after treatment should be re-inoculated before planting. If chemically treating seed for disease control, seed within 2 hours after inoculation.

Apply the amount of lime needed, based on a soil test, at least 30 days before seeding. Plow or disk it into the soil. Pastures do best at a pH of from 6 to 6.5.

The soil test will also show the amount an danalysis of fretilizer needed. On heavy soils and soils of high fertility this will usually be 800 to 1,000 pounds of a 2-12-12 or equivalent. On light soils, sandy soils and soils of low fertility, 1,000 pounds or more of 5-10-10 or equivalent will usually be needed.

The best pasture mixture depends on the intended use for a particular pasture, soil condition and other factors. One to two of certified ladino clover and 5 to 12 pounds of Virginia grown or domestic orchardgrass per ace is an excellent pasture mixture.

When orchardgrass is not adapted, use 6 to 12 pounds of certified Kentucky 31 or Alta fescue in place of the orchardgrass. For higher yields and more flexible use for the first year or two, add 3 pounds per acre of certified Chesepeake, Pennscott, Kenland, or Virginia adapted red clover to the mixture seeded.

Intelligence will be more prevalent when a loud voice is not synonmous with anything except a loud voice.

We had an unusual experience the other day; we met a man who did not know how to solve a single national or international problem.

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Hixburg

"It was a happy time," said Joe Goin of the assembly at Walkers Presbyterian Church at Hixbur on Saturday afternoon at the lawn party.

A line of men from this area, Holloywood, Olive Branch, Pamplin and Appomattox relxed in comfortable chairs and chatted. Seldom had there been a get - together like that.

The Rev. John H. Thomas and family, of Mobile, Ala., were supper guests of the John Hixes on Wednesday evening. Other guests included Mrs. R .H. Oliver of Prospect, Jo Anna and Lynn Oliver of Kensington, Maryland and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moon and family of Roanoke.

Early Saturday morning, Mr and Mrs. John Hix started out on a short vacation. Their first stop would be in Williamsburg to see Paul Green's historic play, "Common Glory."

Mrs. Rob Martin and Mrs. Richard Robinson motored to Cincinnati on Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donald Robinson.

Mrs. Charlie Williams and Miss Kitty B. Glenn left on Saturday for Virginia Beach to stay until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Paris and Debbie, of Lynchburg, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs Henry Covington.

Monday morning, Eddie Covington left for a week at the F.F.A and F. H. A. Camps in Smithfield.

Cdr. Robert Mereness and son Bobby, were week-end guests of Cdr. and Mrs. Patrick Lair. Cdr Mereness is the Public Affairs and Fleet Information Officer for Cdr in Chief of the U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

Mr. Jim Erwin, of Knoxville Tenn., has accepted a position in Miami, Fla. He and his family will stop by to see his mother Mrs. Flossie Hix Erwin, on Aug 10th, when en route to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daly and five children, of Detroit, Michigan, army friends of Mrs. John Goin when she was a Sgt. in the W. A. C.'s eightteen years ago were house guests of the Goins from Wednesday until Thursday.

It is reported by Mrs. A. R Southall, instructor at the Community Cannery at Pamplin, tha the work is "progressing nicely" In the month of July, 4,000 can were processed. There were 85 patrons. Mrs. Elsie Smith, of Prospect, with 108 cans has put up the most.

Mrs. Hallie Singleton' of Darlington Heights, last years' top canner, was a close second with 99 cans. She has the right idea Her husband comes and helps her.

Church News

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH

The week of August 6-11 is Youth Music Week at Eagle Eyrie, and it is expected a large group will be attending from Liberty.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m. Sunday Sclhoo
11:00 a. m. Worship
6:30 p. m. Celestial Choir
7:00 p. m. Training Union
8:00 p. m. Worship
WEDNESDAY:
3:30 p. m. Junior Choir
7:00 p. m. Concord Choir
7:15 p. m. Sunday School Council
8:00 p. m. Hour of Power
8:30 p. m. Church Choir

Seventh-Day Adventist Church
Sabbath August 4
Sabbath School at 9:30 a. m.
Worship Service at 11: o'clock
Mid-week Prayer Service at 7:30

The 49th Quadrennial World Conference of the Seventh-Day Adventist denomination convened in San Francisco, Calf. last Thursday night July 26 at 7:30 for the opening service, the final meeting will be vespers on Sabbath Aug. 4. Some 1,000 official — delegates from about 100 nations were joined by thousands of other Adventists to make the expected attendance of about 10,000 daily. The world president of the Church Reuben R. Figuhr of Washington D. C. delivered the address.

Elder H. J. Capman of Staunton Va. President of the Potomac Conference and other members through out the Conference are in attendance at these meetings.

St. Ann's Episcopal Church
Sunday, August 5, 1962
10 a.m. Church School
11 a.m. Service Morning Prayer
Mr. T. Kyle Baldwin, Lay Reader.

Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church
Millard G. Stimpson, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:50 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Special Music by Youth Choir
Message: "Declaring The Wonderful Deeds of God."
Youth Fellowships meet at 6:30 p. m.
Choir rehearsal on Monday at 7 p. m.

Once upon a time there was a man who remembered his friend and repaid a favor.

This is the time of the year when we do our best yearning for the cold, cold days of winter.

Summer Specials This Week

1/2 gal. Supertherm Picnic Jug	1.09
Ice Cream Scoops	69c
Howland Swim Caps 1.59 Value NOW	89c
Tussy Midnight Hand and Body Lotion 2.00 value Special	1.00
Tussy Color Sheen Shampoo Reg. 2.50 size Special	1.50
Helena Rubenstein Color Shampoos Reg. 2.50 Special	1.50
Rex Color Film Reg. 4.49 Value Now	3.69
Pool Sanitizer	89c

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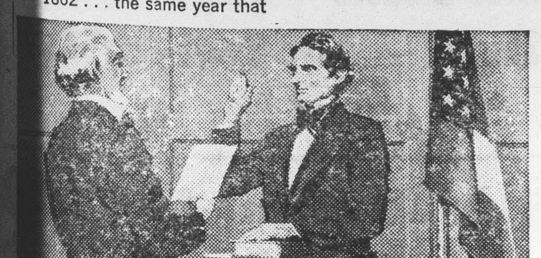
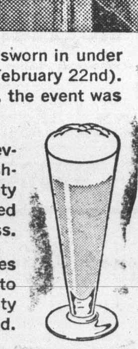


IN VIRGINIA, President Jefferson Davis was sworn in under the Confederate Constitution at Richmond (February 22nd). Throughout the state and all over the South, the event was toasted with foaming steins of beer.

For then, as now, beer was the traditional beverage of moderation—light, sparkling refreshment that adds a touch of Southern hospitality to any occasion. Virginians have always enjoyed the good fellowship that goes with every glass.



TODAY, in its centennial year, the United States Brewers Association still works constantly to assure maintenance of high standards of quality and propriety wherever beer and ale are served.

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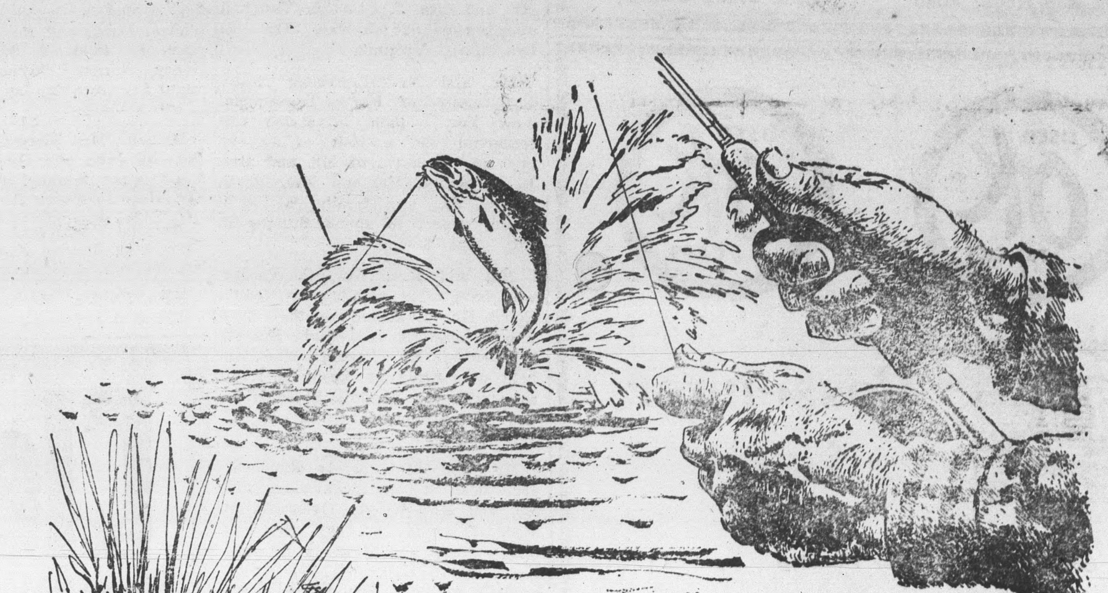
RECREATION
in Southside Virginia



SEC 25 YEARS OF SERVICE

WORK is not everything in life—we all need a certain amount of relaxation, and rural electrification has made it possible for everyone to enjoy many new recreation facilities.

Today, rural and urban people are privileged to enjoy fishing and swimming in the lakes formed by hydro projects like Buggs Island Lake. Community built recreation parks with adequate lighting facilities provide an excellent place for the entertainment of young and old. Hunt clubs and summer homes in the country are made more enjoyable because electricity is available to the rural areas.

Twenty-five years ago Rural Electric Cooperatives accepted the challenge to provide electricity to sparcely populated rural areas with their main objective to help the farmer.

Today, the farmer's tasks have been made easier and more efficient; however, the availability of rural electric power has encouraged the city dweller to seek recreation and relaxation in the country.

Therefore, it can be truly said that rural electrification is good for all American.

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